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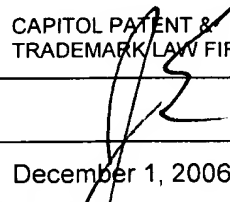
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Mail Stop Amendment (Corrected)

RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Notice mailed November 7, 2006 the Applicants submit the following corrected Response to correct a minor informality (the "Remarks" section now begins on a separate page). Applicants note that the Notice appears to incorrectly state the date of Applicants original response. The correct date is August 25, 2006 not October 26, 2006.

Further, the Notice appears to erroneously indicate that the status identifiers associated with the claims are in error. As far as Applicants can determine, all of the identifiers are correct.

A Listing of Claims now begins on page 3 of this paper.

A Remarks section now begins on page 8 of this paper.